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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): K. HOSOMI, et al
Serial No.: 09/941,697
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For: DISPERSION COMPENSATOR AND OPTICAL
TRANSMISSION SYSTEM USING SAME
Group: 2874
Examiner: B. Healy

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Fee-Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 7, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application, as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.